IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Stephane RIMAUX Group Art Unit: 3663

Serial Number: 10/538,172 Examiner: Jonathan A. Goldfarb

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For: METHOD OF CONTROLLING A CONTINUOUSLY-VARIABLE

TRACTION CHAIN OF A MOTOR VEHICLE WHICH IS DESIGNED

TO IMPROVE NOISE CHARACTERISTICS

Attorney Docket Number: 052598

Customer Number: 29980

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 19, 2007

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2007.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Title begin on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper.

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A petition for a two-month extension of time is submitted with this paper.